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**COMBINED AMENDMENT & PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF
 TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) (Small Entity)**

 Docket No.
 00-065

 In Re Application Of: **PACKES, JR., et al.**

 Serial No.
 09/930,717

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 Examiner
 John R. Paradiso

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Invention:

SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR AUTOMATED PLAY OF LOTTERY GAMES
TO THE ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

This is a combined amendment and petition under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of September 23, 2002 in the above-identified application.
Date

The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):

☐ One month ☒ Two months ☐ Three months ☐ Four months ☐ Five months

 from: December 23, 2002 until: February 23, 2003
Date *Date*

A verified statement of small entity status as a small entity under 37 CFR 1.27:

- ☐ is enclosed.
☒ has already been filed in this application.

The fee for the amendment and extension of time has been calculated as shown below:

CLAIMS AS AMENDED

	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST # PREV. PAID FOR	NUMBER EXTRA CLAIMS PRESENT	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
TOTAL CLAIMS	27 -	27 =	0	x \$9.00	\$0.00
INDEP. CLAIMS	3 -	3 =	0	x \$42.00	\$0.00
FEE FOR AMENDMENT					\$0.00
FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME					\$205.00
TOTAL FEE FOR AMENDMENT AND EXTENSION OF TIME					\$205.00

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The fee for the amendment and extension of time is to be paid as follows:

- ☐ A check in the amount of **\$205.00** for the amendment and extension of time is enclosed.
- ☒ Please charge Deposit Account No. **50-0271** in the amount of **\$205.00**
A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.
- ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. **50-0271**
A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.
- ☒ Any additional filing fees required under 37 C.F.R. 1.16.
- ☒ Any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17.
- ☒ If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. **50-0271** A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

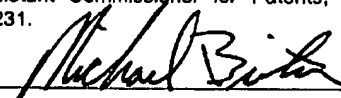

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